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## IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Application of  
**Wass, Lloyd G. et al.**

Application Number  
**10/081,531**

Filing Date  
**February 22, 2002**

For  
**COMBINATION PRESSURE  
 RELIEF AND TOPPING  
 VALVE**

Group Art Unit  
**3753**

Examiner  
**Rivell, John A.**

Old Attorney Docket  
**1567-P**

New Attorney Docket  
**104671**

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AMENDMENT AFTER FINAL REJECTION

Commissioner for Patents  
 P.O. Box 1450  
 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Dear Sir:

In response to the Examiner's Final Action of May 23, 2006, please reconsider the application in light of the following amendments and remarks.

Claim amendments begin on page 2.

Remarks begin on page 6.

Conclusion begins on page 7.